

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
REQUEST FOR FILING NATIONAL PATENT APPLICATION

Under 35 USC 111(a) and Rule 53(b)

PATENT APPLICATION



Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Herewith is the PATENT APPLICATION of

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Title SERVICE PROVIDING METHOD AND SERVICE
PROVIDING SYSTEM

Atty. Dkt.: P 284004
M# 4CG32697-USA-AT
Client Ref

including:

Date: October 16, 2001

1. Specification: 58 pages (only spec. and claims) 2. Specification in non-English language
3. Declaration Original Facsimile/Copy Abstract 1 page(s); 22 numbered claims
4. Drawings: 24 sheet(s) informal; formal of size: A4 11"
5. See top first page re prior Provisional, National or International application(s). ("X" box only if info is there and do not
complete item 6 or 7). (Prior M# _____ SN _____)
6. This application claims benefit of the following prior US application(s), the contents of which are incorporated into this application
by this reference:

No. / filed _____

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No. PCT / filed _____, Which

designated the US and that International Application was was not published under PCT Article 21(2) in English

7. See the attached Preliminary Amendment, which amends the specification to claim benefit of the above listed US
application(s)

8. Attached is an assignment and cover sheet. Please return the recorded assignment to the undersigned.

9. Assignee (optional): _____

Address _____

10. FOREIGN priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in JAPAN

(country)

11.

| Application No. | Filing Date | Application No. | Filing Date |
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| (1) 2001-174964 | June 11, 2001 | (2) | |
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| (7) | | (8) | |
| (9) | | <input type="checkbox"/> See 3 rd page for additional priorities | |

12. 1 (No.) Certified copy (copies): attached; previously filed (date) _____
in U.S. Application No. / filed on _____
13. Small entity status is not claimed; is claimed (Pre-filing confirmation required)
- 13(a). Attached: _____ (No.) Small Entity Statement(s) (since 9/8/00 small entity statement(s) not essential to make claim)
- 13(b). See NONPUBLICATION REQUEST under Rule 213(a) attached (Pat-258)